

Resolution 7-15

**Resolution to Support Final
Joint Land Use Study (JLUS)**

**Leonardtown Resolution Supporting the Final Patuxent
River Joint Land Use Study**

WHEREAS, the Commissioners of Leonardtown supported and participated in a Joint Land Use Study for the Naval Air Station Patuxent River; and

WHEREAS, the JLUS was a cooperative land use planning effort conducted as a joint venture between an active military installation, surrounding jurisdictions, state and federal agencies and other affected stakeholders; and

WHEREAS, the study was developed to understand compatibility issues and concerns in an open forum, to encourage cooperative land use and resource planning, and to provide a set of mutually supported tools to implement the study findings; and


WHEREAS, this process, facilitated by an outside consultant, has been completed; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners of Leonardtown remain committed to a good faith effort to implement the recommendations pertaining to Leonardtown, St. Mary's County, Maryland found within the Joint Land Use Study, while recognizing the importance of private property rights.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Commissioners of Leonardtown accepts and supports the final Joint Land Use Study document to ensure development around Naval Air Station Patuxent River is compatible with continued operation by the Department of Defense.


READ AND PASSED THIS 14th day of September, 2015

ATTEST/WITNESS:



Laschelle McKay, Town Administrator


COMMISSIONERS OF LEONARDTOWN:



Daniel W. Burris, Mayor



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